

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

HB 208 – SB 1283

April 6, 2011

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (005052): Expands the authority of the animal control agency in Hawkins County to use unclaimed spay or neuter deposits to defray operational expenses of spay or neuter programs. Prohibits the use of such deposits to pay the salaries of persons employed by an agency located within Hawkins County.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

Unchanged from the original fiscal note

Assumptions applied to amendment:

- Currently, deposits forfeited by persons failing to timely spay or neuter their adopted dog or cat are being divided between spay and neutering education programs and costs of supplies necessary to perform the procedures.
- Because the proposed bill will not change existing practice, there will be no fiscal impact on state or local government.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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